

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Shuichi Fukutani  
 Serial No.: 10/540,884  
 Conf. No.: 1745  
 Filed: 6/27/2005  
 For: REINFORCEMENT MATERIAL FOR RUBBER,  
 RUBBER PRODUCT USING THE MATERIAL  
 AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE  
 PRODUCT, PNEUMATIC TIRE USING THE  
 MATERIAL AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING  
 THE SAME  
 Art Unit: 1791  
 Examiner: Johnstone, Adrienne C.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

## Extension fee for response within first month:

( ) By a small entity (§1.9(f))..... \$ 60.00  
 (X) By other than a small entity..... \$ 120.00

## Extension fee for response within second month:

( ) By a small entity (§1.9(f))..... \$ 230.00  
 ( ) By other than a small entity..... \$ 460.00

## Extension fee for response within third month:

( ) By a small entity (§1.9(f))..... \$ 525.00  
 ( ) By other than a small entity..... \$ 1050.00

## Extension fee for response within fourth month:

( ) By a small entity (§1.9(f))..... \$ 820.00  
 ( ) By other than a small entity..... \$1640.00

## Extension fee for response within fifth month:

( ) By a small entity (§1.9(f))..... \$1115.00  
 ( ) By other than a small entity..... \$2230.00

(X) Charge \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-2069.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069.

Respectfully submitted,

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